

BERSAGLIERI #33

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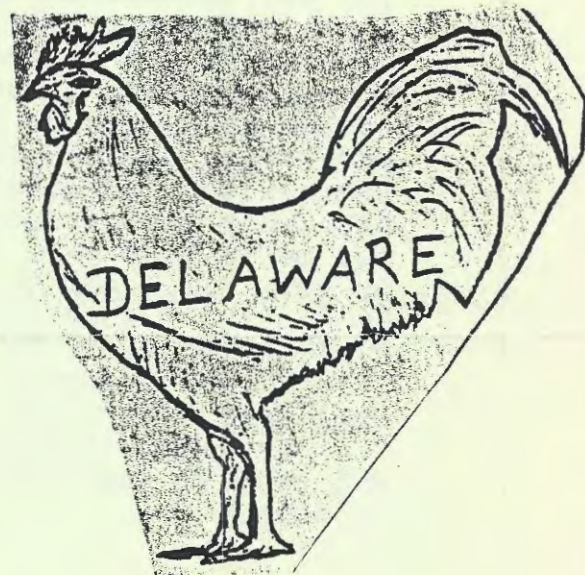
I Volontari: standby players: Arnawoodian, Byrne, Mills, Bohner,
Williams, Craig, Hart, Fleming, Frueh, Russell, Givan, Haley.

***** If you play out a standby position -- you get three free
issues of B.

*****You get credit for articles, commentaris, etc. that I use.
You'll get at least 2 free issues.

There is one position left in the Delaware
game. Would you like to be in this game?
If you would, let me know as soon as possible.
The first to let me know will get the spot.
Game fee is \$3 and you must keep a sub to
Bersaglieri.

Already signed up for the game are: Givan,
Williams, Fleming, Haley, Bakken, and Russell.
See page 9 for the answer to last month's
contest.



This coming weekend is WoodCon. Yes, Woody will be holding an ECC, PAGB
and PDO sanctioned Con. He's having it at his sister's house due to
the fact that Robert Sacks is walking a picket line outside of Woody's
house. The only way that Robert lets even Woody into his house is if
Woody dresses up as Loretta Lynn and sings "When You're Lookin' at Me,
You're Lookin' at Country".
Robert has a sick sense of humor (as if no one knew that). We're hoping
that he doesn't show up at Woody's sister's place. But no one can
predict what Sacks will do.....

This is the last page of this issue to be typed and I'm getting very
tired.... It's 2:30 am, so I think I'll just

end

it

here.....Ciao...

18 January 1984

Dear Tom,

Ah, how nice it was to see Bersaglieri in the mailbox again! I hope you didn't take my "note", as you put it, too badly. It is very difficult to continually meet deadlines. But coupled with the delay of the previous issue and someone telling me B had folded, I was very anxious to find out just what was going on, and if my game would be orphaned. (Sniff, sniff--poor little critter.)

In fact, just to show you my confidence, I will attempt to answer your contest correctly and win a position in your next Delaware game. The answer is actually rather "sneaky". You see, Luxembourg and the Netherlands have identical flags: three vertical, equal-sized stripes of red, white, and blue. However, since neither one of these countries is considered a principality, I must assume the answer you are looking for is Monaco (which is a principality) and Indonesia, which both have flags divided into two equal vertical "stripes: red over white. (Poland comes close with white over red, but then they always did get everything backwards!) By the way, put me in your game whether I got in the first correct answer or not. If I get in but don't win I'll send the game fee. Honest! I'm good for it. My preference list would be: R, F, A, G, I, T, E.

I have another question: whose flag is the only square ^{square} one? All others are rectangles.

Ah ~~dama~~, it's almost time to head to work. Take care, and keep up the good work--we all know you can keep B running on time.

Sincerely,

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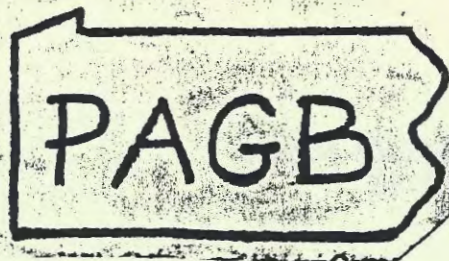
That "fold" which you mentioned was the "handiwork" of the NYGB. ~~Robert Sacks~~ and various other cronies were out to try and ruin my name in the hobby in retaliation for me exposing the truth about them. Obviously, Bobbie didn't succeed.

I'm glad for your vote of confidence. You did get the contest right -- Monaco and Indonesia do have the same flag. Your free gamestart has been given to Dale as per our phone conversation.

As for your question -- The Swiss flag is square. Do I win anything for my answer?

Thanks again

Tom.



It is my great pleasure to announce to all of you the formation of two new sister organizations of the PAGB. They are the KGB (Kansas Gaming Board) and the CGAB (California Gaming Association Board).

If you are a resident of either of these states, I encourage you to become a member and allow your voice to be heard in the vital issues facing the hobby today.

In Kansas write to: President-for-Life Nikolai
c/o Bob Olsen
6818 Winterberry Cr.
Wichita, KS 67226

In California write to: Rod Walker
Office of the Registrar
1273 Crest Dr.
Encinitas, CA 92024

See below for correspondence from one of your organizations....

Beauracratiaally yours,

Tom Mainardi
PAGB Chairman

KANSAS
GAMING
BOARD

President-for-Life: "Nikolai"
Treasurer: X "Ivan"
Gulag inmate and Bathroom Attendant: "Dmitri"

Vice-President-for-President's-Life: "Igor"
Corresponding Secretary: "Yuri"

Dear Mr. Mainardi,

Thank you for ~~ix~~ your inquiry concerning our mutual acquaintance, Robert Sacks. Please be informed that the KGB is currently conducting an investigation into Sacks with the object of seeing if he, and his New York Gaming Board, represent dangerous counter-revolutionary elements within the hobby, or whether there is something, some small thing, worth saving in the NYGB (admittedly this is unlikely but anything is possible). For example "Igor" believes that Sacks might possibly be trained ~~xx~~ for a career as a People's Storm Trooper based on his valiant assault on your Mr. Arnawoodian at Byrnecon last year. However, "Nikolai" has pointed out that, while certainly the ~~q~~ required violent nature and savagery are there, there is the matter of skill; after all the net result of the altercation was that Sacks' glasses fell off while the feeble Woody emerged unscathed from the fracas. One can hardly expect a man like this to be up th the job of taking out a hard case like Creampuff Russell, don't you think?

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3932 North Forestdale Avenue
Dale City, VA 22193
January 26, 1984

Mr. Thomas Mainardi, Head
Retirements, Elections and Treasury Service
1403 Lawrence Road
Havertown, PA 19083

Dear Mr. Mainardi:

It is indeed a distinct honor to be considered for the post of Director, Bureau of Retirements, PDO. Although my current commitment to DipDom is very heavy, (I have recently begun GMing a telephone game, playing in a press game and feuding (again) with Bruce Linsey, in addition to publishing Politesse, organizing face-to-face gamefests and acting as public relations co-ordinator for MaryCon and sitting on the DipCon Administrative Committee) I could not decline the privilege of directing the nascent BoR. In fact, this post should be of significant help in accomplishing some of my current goals. I can, at present, name two or three hobbyists who would qualify for retirement. Further, I have already received an application for retirement from one M. P. Barno. Of course, I shall not act on his application until I have received confirmation of my appointment. At that time I shall also forward to you my ideas for a "retirement test" and for cutting down on the unfortunate number of gamers on the disability polls.

You may be aware that I have petitioned the Grand Kommissar for appointment to the post of Custodian of Players' Rights. (In view of his grandness, the K has not yet responded.) An organization such as the PDO cannot neglect this important area of concern. Should not a people's organization endeavour to protect the people in the activity that forms the very stuff of DipDom? My record on players' rights speaks for itself. I have opposed the arrogance of gamesmastership in all its manifestations. I have called for a free DipCon. I have not attempted to manipulate the DipCon Society meeting or conspire to distribute funds to my friends (as certain unnamed individuals have). Your support for my petition would be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

Edward Wrobel

Edward Wrobel

cc: Michael Mills

I am very pleased that you have accepted the post of director of the Bureau of Retirements. Consider yourself confirmed.

You may proceed with any and all pending applications or inquiries concerning the retirement of hobby members.

As for your petition to the Grand Kommissar for the position of Custodian of Players' Rights, I will use what influence I have to see that you are appointed to that post. I believe it is a vital need in the hobby today what with the likes of people such as R Sacks around. Let me know if I can be of further assistance. TM -- RETS Director

The following Exhibit Letter would be sent to you if you too were to retire "voluntarily" from the hobby.

3932 North Forestdale Avenue
Dale City, VA 22193
January 26, 1984

Mr. M. P. Barno
CPU #1187
25 Andrews Memorial Drive
Rochester, NY 14623-5689

Dear Mr. Barno:

Thank you for the very prompt submission of your application for retirement from the hobby of postal Diplomacy. Regrettably there will be a brief delay in the processing of your application. My appointment as Director, Bureau of Retirements (BoR) has not yet been confirmed. I would be remiss in the performance of duties should I take action prior to my confirmation. (Refer to Bersaglieri #32.)

In order to expedite your application, I would, however, like to offer some preliminary commentary and request further information.

In a hand-written addendum, you note "Actions like yours can lead to reactions like the one I'm implementing for myself." Setting aside, for the moment, the strong flavor of disingenuousness attaching to this remark, I must inform you that the Bureau of Retirements was established specifically to regulate retirements from DipDom. Thus, it is the decision of the BoR, and not your own, that will be implemented. Further, please note that you, not the Director-elect, authored the faux pas printed in Voice of Doom #72. Said indiscretion has been widely tittered over throughout the Hobby, and is certainly well-known among "doomees." My brief mention of it (the purpose of which was to demonstrate Mr. Linsey's unfamiliarity with the function of editor) will not be acknowledged as sufficient cause to precipitate your retirement.

Therefore, should you wish to pursue your application further, you should submit additional documentation to justify retirement.

Sincerely yours,

Edward Wrobel

Edward Wrobel, Director-elect
Bureau of Retirements

cc: Thomas Mainardi, Head
Retirements, Elections and Treasury Service

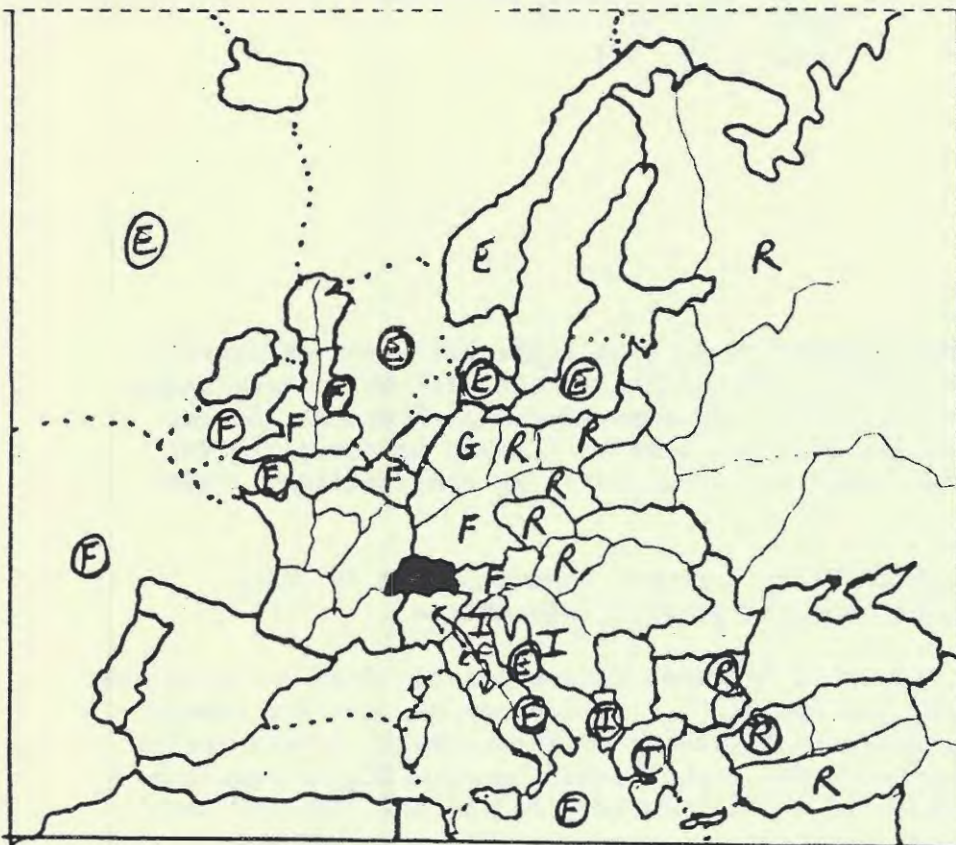
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Emilia-Romagna 81IU W '08 Spring '09



Russian gains in Turkey and Germany...Italy regains Venice

Winter '08

Fra: Retreat A Tri-OTB
Builds F Bre
Rus: Builds A War
Tur: Removes F Smy

Spring '09 Orders:

ENGLAND (Coughlan): F DEN-Kie,
F ADR S Ita A Tri-Ven, F BAL S
Rus A Sil-Ber, F NAO-Lpl, A NWY-
Edi, F NTH C A Nwy-Edi.

FRANCE (Woodson): A WAL-Lpl,
F YOR-Edi, F Eng-IRI, F Bre-ENG,
F Spa(sc)-MAO, F Ion-APU, F Tyr-
ION, A Bur-BEL, A MUN holds,
A TYR S A Ven, A VEN S A Tyr--d,
ret to Pie, Tus, Rom, OTB.

GERMANY (Mills): NMR!!! all
units hold. Has A Kie, A Ber--
annihilated.

ITALY (Byrne): A Tri-VEN, A Ser-TRI, F Gre-ALB.

RUSSIA (Mazzer): A Fin-STP, A Lvn-PRU, A Ank-SMY, A Boh-MUN, A VIE-Tyr,
A Sil-BER, A War-SIL, F BUL(ec) holds, F CON S A Ank-Smy.

TURKEY (Arnawoodian): F Aeg-GRE.

Deadline for Fall '09 orders is Wed., March 7th.

There has been a proposal for an E/I/R draw. Please vote with your next
set of orders. Not voting is a "YES" vote.

Press: Italy-France: I only wanted you to help me eliminate the Austrian
mauth! How can you expect me to attack Mazzer for you -- when you own
all my home centers!

Russia- Woody: You're right, it's better to die a scumbag than to live a
Mazzer toady. In fact, in your case, it's better to die period.

Italy-Russia: Us Nixons gotta stick together!

Moscow-Paris: Betray my dear friends, Gary and Kathy? Why that's downright
dishonest. Besides, we're just getting a little momentum.

Italy-Turkey: Mazzer says that you must die! He says you must die in
every game you're in! I think underneath it all that he really likes you!
Yup, especially when you are dead.

Moscow-the late Austrian: We'll miss you...uh...what was your name again?

Italy-England: Did you help me?! I sure hope so!

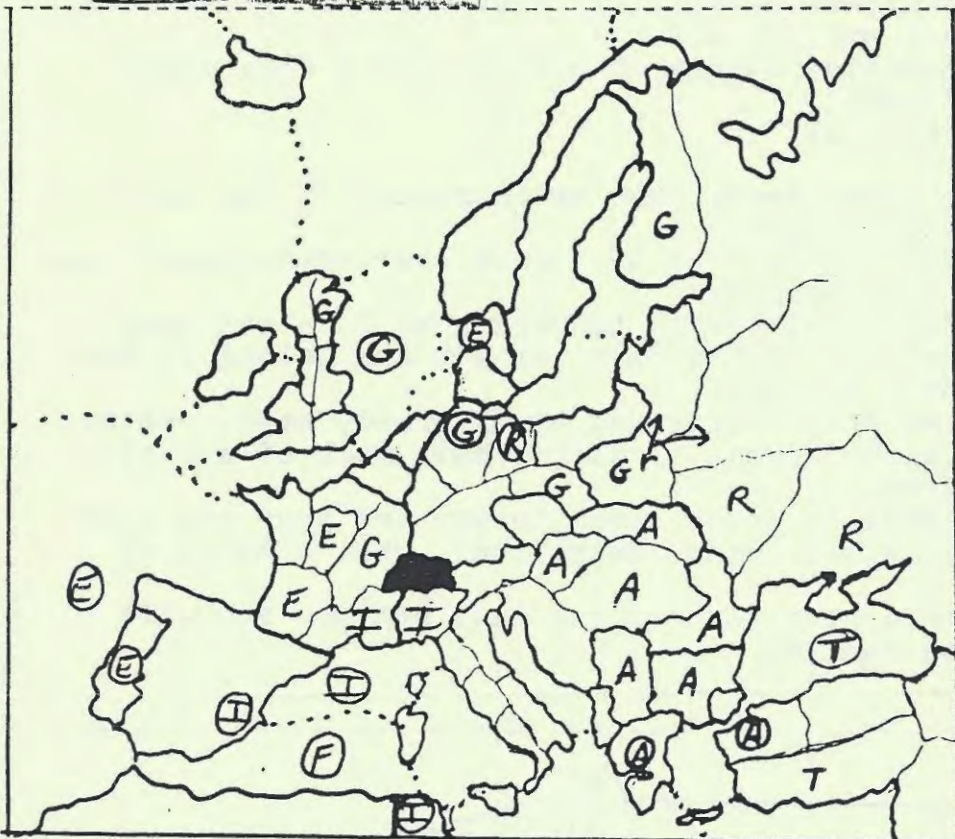


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FALL '04

Germany invades England and
Russia...Austria holds own...
Italy commits himself to
western arena.....

The Aus/Ger draw proposal has
failed....



Fall '04 orders:

AUSTRIA (Bakken): F Alb-GRE,
A RUM-Ukr, A GAL S A Rum-Ukr,
A VIE S A Gal, A SER-Rum, A BUD
S A Ser-Rum, F CON holds, A BUL
S F Con.

ENGLAND (Craig): F SKA-Swe,
A Bre-GAS, A PAR S A Bre-Gas,
F Mao-POR, F Eng-MAO.

FRANCE (Conlon): NMR!!! all
units hold. Has F Wes, A Gas--
annihilated, A Mar--annihilated.

GERMANY (Fleming): A FIN-Swe,
A Den-EDI, F NTH C A Den-Edi,
F KIE holds, A Pru-WAR, A SIL S
A Pru-War, A BUR S ITAL A Pie-
Mar.

ITALY (Hart): A Pie-MAR, A Ven-
PIE, F Tyr-TUN, F LYO S A Pie-
Mar, F SPA(sc) S A Pie-Mar.

RUSSIA (Larzelere): A SEV-Rum,
A WAR-Gal--d, ret to Lvn, Mos,
OTB, A UKR-Gal, F Bal-BER.

TURKEY (Russell): F BIA-Con, A SMY S F Bla-Con.

Deadline for Winter '04 builds and Spring '05 orders is Wed., March 7th.
There has been a proposal for an A/E/G/I draw. Please vote with your next
set of orders. Not voting is a "YES" vote.

Supply Center Chart for 1904

Aus: Home, Ser, Gre, Rum, Bul, Con 8 centers. Has 8 units: Even.
Eng: Lpl, Lon, ~~Edi~~, Nwy, Bre, PAR, POR 6 centers. Has 5 units: Build one.
Fra: ~~Par~~, ~~Mar~~ OUT!!!
Ger: Mun, Kie, ~~Ber~~, Hol, Den, Bel, Swe, EDI, WAR 8 centers. Has 7 units:
Build one.
Ita: Home, Tun, Spa, MAR 6 centers. Has 5 units: Build one.
Rus: Mos, ~~War~~, StP, Sev, BER 4 centers. Has 4 units: Even.
Tur: Ank, Smy 2 centers. Has 2 units: Even.

Press: A/H-Eng: If you trust Fleming, you'll be sorry!

Eng: A draw!!! Over my dead island!

Berlin: Apparently the Kaiser has gone insane and is ordering his armed
forces to go in every direction. Will the gambit work or is the end in sight?

Rom-Lon: You charge only a dollar for a whipping? Count me in!

StP-Con: 2...Qh4 mate.

Press continued.....

Wyoming press continued....

Bud-Ank: I see you made another feeble attempt to fool me. Just forget it, Carl. I'm just as simple-minded as you are so I can figure out everything you do.

Ger-Eng: I guess the insanity is hereditary. Why did you have to build that extra army last time? It made me nervous.

Rom-Smy: If you're the victim of a mercy killing -- play dead!

Madman-World: Big party in Madison in March. My Birthday. Y'all welcome!

Ber-Mos: They also smash those who say nothing.

Rom-Bud: I'd offer you an unlimited supply of coffee, but a wide awake drunk I won't inflict on Madtown.

Red guy-Black guy: So.....What's up?

Ber-Par: Same to you.

Rom-GM: Are you going to let Bukko assassinate my character in the press by comparing me with those lightweights?

GM-Rom: I don't know about the others, but if you've ever seen Russell and Woody, you know they're not lightweights!

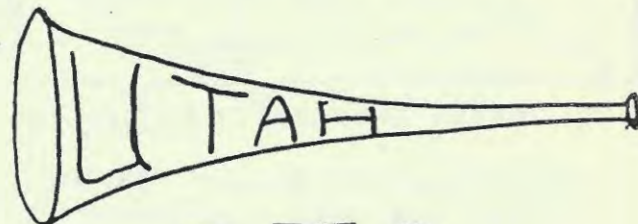
Dale-Carl: I see in Raging Main that you're bothering Wall to get into the Midwest Mob. Well, forget it. The only way you can belong to the MM is to move here....but don't do that.

Germany-Europe: I just hope no one is offended by my greedy ways. After all, this was a standby position for me. I didn't have much of a choice for the last four or five turns.

Italy-Evans: Everyone else seems to write press to you and your not even in the game anymore. What loyalty! What admiration! What a bunch of mental midgets!

Mun-Mun: I hope you have been a good boy for the last month. You will need all of the good luck you can get.

Rom-Ber: Say, goodbye Pat!



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Summer '03

Due to requests by some players I have delayed the game. I am sorry to anyone who did not request a delay.....

Summer '03

Aus: retreats A Bud-Ser
Eng: retreats A Bel-Ruh

Deadline for Fall'03 orders is Wed., March 7th.
I am holding all orders and press that I have 'til then.



UTAH BOURSE

Ruble soars to highest value of any currency so far while
Piastre plummets to lowest value so far.....

	AK	£	F	DM	L	R	TP
AA	-500	-500	+695	+1700		+1600	-500
BoI							
FMA	-500	-500	-500	+1000	-500	+1662	-500
GAK							
GEE							
MMB		+700	-500	-500		+400	-500
MMK	-500	-225	-500		-500	+1994	-500
OI							
PE	-500	-500	+500		-250		-300
RYIRA	-500	-500	+340		-500	+1000	
TLC	-500	-500		-500	-500	+1750	
<u>totals</u>	<u>-3000</u>	<u>-2025</u>	<u>+35</u>	<u>+1700</u>	<u>-2250</u>	<u>+8406</u>	<u>-2300</u>
pMP	1.40	1.56	1.54	1.17	1.48	1.48	.78
change	-.30	-.20	.00	+.17	-.22	+.84	-.23
CMP	1.10	1.36	1.54	1.34	1.26	2.32	.55

EBSIC Holdings Report for Summer '03

	\$	AK	£	F	DM	L	R	TP
AA	20.80	2620	2655	1355	4236	2075	2230	1500
BoI	8304.62	0	600	660	1660	52	1130	0
FMA	.38	779	490	1160	3160	1550	3792	600
GAK	594.69	595	1048	2157	660	1964	2949	0
GEE	.50	600	0	0	3070	2750	1130	2100
MMB	62.28	1565	2376	0	0	900	1400	600
MMK	.63	1000	0	3486	1500	1500	1994	0
OI	.99	2100	1754	1029	660	1806	1130	2533
PE	1332.00	2100	3830	2360	0	0	1405	0
RYIRA	4686.30	1000	1600	2000	0	1000	2000	0
TLC	365.94	300	900	2460	210	556	5180	0
<u>M.T.</u>	<u>15369.13</u>	<u>12659</u>	<u>15253</u>	<u>16667</u>	<u>15156</u>	<u>14153</u>	<u>24340</u>	<u>7333</u>

Next bourse orders are due Wed., March 7th.

Press:

MMK-MMB: Backer, smacker. Listen chump, when I get my mits on you, you won't even be able to packer!

MMB-MMK: I have already stopped your pathetic attempt to win a different trial of wats, must I do so again?

MMK-Anal: If you ever want to really be a good Diplomacy player, you're going to have to learn from me. Your letters need a "pen" touch to them to make your plans work. Write to me next week when your latest Herpes outbreak is over.

MMB-RYIRA: I don't know about puppy, but Evans...now there is a killer..

MMK-FMA: Too bad about those 600piastres! (Carl was wrong!)

TRENTINO ALTO-ADIGE 82HC

ENDGAME STATEMENTS.....

ITALY -- Tom Swider

When I first set out in this game in '01, I promised myself that I would win this game. I suppose I could have, but I changed my mind later on due to game events.

Originally, my plan was to ally myself with Austria and Germany. I would go both east and west to help my allies, though my invasion of France would begin in '03, since I wanted to assure myself of Turkey being ineffective early in the game. After Turkey was out and France was eliminated, I would stab Austria and work heavily with Germany against England, to "split" the board. This strategy would allow me to bypass the Spa/Mun/StP stalemate line, and win. The nature of the players shattered all this.

The most obvious were Mark Molus (F) and Larry Neubauer (R) who demonstrated "Diplomacy inaction". Since France went into CD early, I had to exploit this in order to prevent E/G from getting too powerful. Russia's ineptness allowed Dale to grow very powerful too quickly. That allowed Turkey to live; to be a major problem later in the game.

Also the Austrian and German players proved to be a problem. Mark Coldiron didn't write very often (once a year at most) and was unwilling to make an early commitment. My opening to Tyrolia didn't go over well, even though I was going to Bohemia to help Austria Vs. Russia. Believe it or not, Dave told me to take Vienna. In order to get more leverage on Turkey, I told Russia not to move A Gal-Vie, giving me two builds. This is a bit shady, I'll admit,, but Dave was willing to give me Vie, and it was going to be returned for Greece. Later, Dave started NMRing and stopped writing due to personal problems. I had to stab him since I couldn't afford to keep an ally who couldn't carry his own.

Phase two of the game then began: do I ally with Turkey or England? In terms of me winning, my best choice was Turkey. He would be building armies to hit R/A and England's German/Russian holdings, while I'd be able to hit Dale (and avenge him for passing one of my letters to Don!!) When Don finally got two builds, and built fleets, I had no choice but to ally with Dale. Don, I honestly wanted you as an ally rather than Dale.

Not that Dale is a bad ally; I was surprised we were able to work out a settlement of our "cold war" over the CD French centers. Dale and I had kept in touch since '01, even though we weren't exactly buddy-buddies. This constant communication allowed us to settle our differences. Unfortunately an alliance with England was bad for me. Dale's only enemy was Germany while I had to face Turkey and the remains of G/A. Yuck! I'm lucky Dale changed his mind and went along with the draw though if he had stabbed me this year, I wouldn't have lost any centers and would have gained two or three from Austria. It would have been close.

See? It is honest Thomas after all!!

Thanks to Tom for stable GMing, though Tom was a little lazy now and then (who isn't). Below are my last words:

Aus: You blew it, kiddo! My heart and mind won't follow you if you don't grab my balls.

Eng: I'm glad you resisted the temptation. You shouldn't talk to Frueh so much!

Fra: MOO!

Ger: I hope you learned something. He who keeps his options open too long may no longer have any options.

Rus: Phone calls don't cut it. Letter writers always prevail.
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T A-A continued...

Tur: What can I say? Wish things were more opportune for us to ally, though I think you were too harsh on me. I'm no leapo (well, maybe there is a little evil in me???)

TURKEY -- Don Williams

As I'm sure you'll all agree, this game was an exercise in frustration and futility.

Trentino was my first "mainstream" pbm game, and I plunged in with both feet. At game start, I wrote to everyone -- I attempted to ally with Tom's Italy and throw Russia (Larry Neubauer) off track. I also wanted Austria's good will and hoped to get Dave White's help vs. Russia. I'd also planned to use the novice, Mark Molus, to my advantage, as I was the only player who knew him outside of Trentino.

Things went downhill from there. Molus' France was a complete bust, as was Molus. His NMR changed the game completely. Tom had agreed to try the "crazy" T-I, but with France gone, he was allowed the fortune of a two-front war. The attack on Russia went well in 1901-- Austria persuaded me to go into Rum with his support. (I didn't realize then that I-A had some plans for me)

1902 was a bad year -- I lost Bul and Rum and was guilty of a very untimely NMR. I wrote to Tom for help; his reply was that he was sorry, but he was on his way only so the others would have to share my dots.-- (thanks Tom)

Then the garbage started -- Austria and Russia became erratic and finally both dropped out. Turkey made a quick comeback to six dots, but it was too late: Italy and England had allied, raped France, and began working on my only true ally in Trentino, the Kaiser. (too bad we couldn't do more for each other, eh Mark?) With Italy owning most of Austria, and England in Russia, there wasn't much sense in going on -- I saw the Lepanto on the wall, and Germany was well on the way out too.

There were a couple of interesting times during the game. The biggest was when Dave White sent an open letter to G-R-T (1903-04) in an attempt to forge a grand alliance against E-I monster. Said alliance was formed but quickly fell apart again when Larry, and then Dave NMRed out.

The other interesting point was the here-again, gone-again appearance of Pat Hart in Austria. Pat and I quickly exchanged two letters a piece, and hope grew for a moment that at least Italy would be hurt. Tom Swider managed to fix that -- Tom, you're a formidable opponent.

As far as Dale goes, I probably wrote to him more than anyone else - but try as I might, he wouldn't knife the green machine. (Your "NOW!" note at the end nearly gave me a heart attack, Dale...what was that about anyway?)

When it became clear that the E/I was for real and forever, I called it quits.

I'd like to say thanks to the players that stayed in the game. You made it worth sticking around in spite of the jerks in France, Russia and Austria. Dale, I hope you and your girlfriend(s) find many hours of happiness on the hydraulic lift I sent. And I'm sure you'll make good use of the 12" crescent wrench.

Tom, do me a favor...trust me. I certainly don't want to have to prove to you again that you were going to wipe me out by xeroxing your own letters to use as evidence. (At one point, Tom said he'd never planned to attack me, until I started building fleets. I had to continued.....

T A-A continued....

xerox 3 of his letters to prove to him that he had picked the fight.)

And Mark, not alot to say here, except "Long Live the California Connection." Incidentally, guys, "FOPR" stands for "Folsom Prison". Mark lives fairly close to it. Redlands is in the "Inland Empire."

Finally, Tom Mainardi. Thanks for running the game in a professional way -- you did make the best of a rotten situation. Thanks too for putting up with the silliness and thanks for typing up this endgame statement. Bye all, hope to grab your dots sometime soon!

GERMANY -- Mark Coldiron

The game started on a sour note for me as I drew Germany, the country I like the least and have the least experience at.

Because of that, I decided to take the unorthodox strategy of waiting to see who would offer me the best deal for an alliance, England or France. I had decided to go with France when he first NMRed. So, I teamed up with England who later stabbed me. The wound still hurts. I didn't feel that I was any threat to him.

Had Austria stuck with us when the new Austria entered the game, we might have fended off the hungry hordes.

Still I suppose I did well enough to survive in my first postal game. It does get rather discouraging with NMRs all over the place. I did have a few of those myself but all but one of them were unintentional.

*** Dale let me know that has endgame statement will be submitted for the next issue. I'll have my comments on the game then too. TM.

KG B Cont.

Please also be advised that your associate member Mr. Richard Martin is under suspicion of counterrevolutionary conspiracy, and is currently being investigated. After all Martin was present at the Sacks-Arnawoodian confrontation, and while he pretended to not even be looking at the time, I notified him furtively giving hand signals to Sacks--therefore it may be that Martin is Sacks' puppet master or toad. If so we may have uncovered a nest of corruption, a conspiracy so immense, as to boggle the mind.

Still, if he is innocent (doubtful), Sacks could be a powerful weapon in our hands*. Just imagine if you will, Sacks cloned into an entire division of Sackses, all trained in karate and knocking people's glasses off, hopped up on nitrous oxide and laughing madly, storming Bill Highfield's grocery store. We have here, if we play it right, an unstoppable weapon for world conquest.

For the people,
"Yuri"

Thank you for your letter and your sincere interest in the enforcement of "ethics" in the Diplomacy hobby. I am instructing the PAGB Eastern Coordinator, Lee Kendter, to form a special investigating committee to look into this possible Sacks/Martin connection. Could it actually be that Sacks is starting to influence hobby members outside of his own iron-fist-controlled NYGB? If so, all free-thinking Dip hobbyists must unite to rid ourselves of such a menacing threat!

ANOTHER MEETING OF THE NYGB.....
 WHAT DO YOU SUPPOSE THEY DISCUSS?



UTAH BOURSE ORDER SHEET

Season _____

		SELL	
	amt.	value	
Aus Kroner	x 1.18	=	
Eng Pounds	x 1.36	=	
Fre Francs	x 1.54	=	
Ger Marks	x 1.34	=	
Ita Lire	x 1.26	=	
Rus Rubles	x 2.32	=	
Tur Piastres	x .55	=	
Total	=		

		BUY	
	amt.	value	
Aus Kroner	x 1.10	=	
Eng Pounds	x 1.36	=	
Fre Francs	x 1.54	=	
Ger Marks	x 1.34	=	
Ita Lire	x 1.26	=	
Rus Rubles	x 2.32	=	
Tur Piastres	x .55	=	
Total	=		

Last Season's \$ Treasury _____
 \$ gained from sales + _____
 Total _____
 \$ spent on buys - _____
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